## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION DOCKET NO.: 42044-CONT OF: BRATZ ET AL. CONFIRMATION No.: 1890 SERIAL No. 10/043,241 GROUP ART UNIT: 1616 FILED: JANUARY 14, 2002 EXAMINER: S. N. OAZI For: SOLID MIXTURES BASED IB SULFONYLUREAS AND ADJUVANTS

Honorable Commissioner

for Patents P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. \$1.111

Sir:

In reply to the Office action of July 05, 2006, it is respectfully requested that the following remarks be entered and considered for further prosecution of the above-identified application:

It is respectfully requested that a two month extension of time be granted in this case. The respective \$450.00 fee is paid by credit card (Form PTO-2038 enclosed).

Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including Extension of Time fees, to Deposit Account No. 14.1437. Please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

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